Given Away—

ON SATURDAY, DECEMBER 17, WE WILL GIVE ONE OF OUR UNFRAMED PICTURES WITH A PUR-CHASE OF FIFTY CENTS, OR MORE, OF CROCKERY, GLASS WARE, SILVERWARE, GRANITE WARE, DOLLS, ETC. EVEN PURCHASES FROM OUR 5c, 10c, 15c AND 25c BARGAIN SHELVES WILL BE ALLOW-

ONLY ONE PICTURE TO A PERSON. COME EARLY WHILE THE ASSORTMENT IS

OWL TEA HOUSE

XMAS CHINA.

MAJOR CHARLES WILKINS PRAISES INDIAN WOMEN.

Says the Morals of the Tribe Are Higher Than Those of Any Other derous Reports Are Not Justified.

Major Charles Wilkins, for nine years agent for the Umatilla Indians. pays a high tribute to the moral character of the Umatillas, and declares 40 years in Eastern Oregon. the per cent of illegitimacy in the tribe is less than among any other

Indians in the Northwest.

In speaking of the extremely high moral character of the Umatilia women Major Wilkins said to the East

"Good morals is not the exception with the Umatilla Indian women, but it is the invariable rule. Among all tt is the invariable rule. Among all scheduled there for the entire com-classes virtue is esteemed as the highest attribute of their lives. They may not be free from the love of lings. liquor, they may not be religious nor honest in their business dealings, but they are almost invariably moral and

"Among the Lapwais immorality is common, and it is a wonder that the Umatilia tribe has not become infect-ed with the bad habits and loose morals of the Lapwais, as the two tribes visit so much and are so closely related socially.

"Reports to the contrary notwith standing, and in spite of the occa-sional slanders of Umatilla Indian girls and women. I know that such sinnders are not justified except in rare instances. You will find the families living in honor and recti-tude on the reservation, just as the whites live off the reservation, the women respecting the marriage vows and guarding their character just as

but when it comes to the sound principle of morality you will find such principles just as sacredly respected on the reservation as elsewhere."

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS.

New Lodge at La Grande With Over 50 Members.

bus a Catholic fraternal order, was Francisco, directed to soldiers and organized at La Grande Saturday sallor boys of the Orient. A lodge of the Knights of Columnight by Deputy Ben L. Norden, of tland. The new lodge is known as Grande lodge No. 886, and starts with a membership of more than 50. The work was exemplified by a de-

A new lot of planes and small musical instruments for the

STEINWAY AND EMERSON

pinnos. New styles are ready and designs in lace curtains, portieres and rugs. Agent for the improved White sewing ma-Payments of \$5 per

Jesse Failing *********

gree team from the Walla Walla court, alleging cruel and inhuman lodge, headed by John P. Kent. The treatment on the part of her husband. Walla Walla knights passed through A fortnight later State Circuit Judge Pendleton this morning on their way W. R. Ellis issued the decree that sevhome. In the party were Mr. Kent, Victor Cullen, Thomas Ennis and Joseph McCarty.

Will Winter in California.

May Not Be Honest or Sober, But they will spend the coming winter.

They Are Invariably Moral—Slanderous Reports Are Not Are Invariable Moral—SlanThey Are en route to San Diego, Cal., where they will spend the coming winter.

The fall weather in Grand Ronde valley has been ry disagre-able i is season, excessively cold rains and twinds having prevailed much of the time. All those in the party are among the oldest pioneers of Union other chapter in the story of the College. time. All those in the party are his, and the county clerk recorded ancounty and have been actively in bus- linses. iness and public affairs for the past

Successful Evangelist.

Victor Dorris, the evangelist who is coming to the Christian church for a series of meetings after the first of coming to the Christian church for a series of meetings after the first of the year, is having the best success in his meeting at Walla. He has conducted revival meetings in that city for the past two weeks, and is scheduled there for the entire coming week. Many additions have been made to the church during his meetings.

Lyman.

Owing to the church eligit for the first of the continued ill health Prof. R. S. Lyman, superintendent of Oregon's educational exhibit at the Lewis and Clark centennial, has resigned the position and Prof. R. F. Robinson, city superintendent of Portland schools, has been affered the position.

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Will Visit Germany.

Joseph Basier and Ed Besthorn and wife are contemplating a trip to their old homes in Germany, during ed yesterday when Frederick F. the coming winter. It is possible that Mr. Basier's family will accom- Webb, the west half of the northwest pany him also. They expect to be absent from Pendleton at least three and guarding their character just as closely as it is possible to do.

'Indians have no faise pride and do not observe all the decencies of life as the whites, because they be-

No Christmas Packages. Although the government made ar-angement for the free transportation Evangelist Hall Will Begin a Series of Christmas packages to soldiers and of Christmas packages to soldiers and sallors in the Philippines, not one package destined for the Islands has been mailed at Pendleton postoffice, so far. On December 1 over five tons of Christmas packages left San ber 13th, there will be revival services at the Baptist church, corner of Alta and Johnston streets. Evangelist Hill tons of Christmas packages left San Will assist Rev. G. L. Hall in conductive them meetings.

The attraction at the Frazer to-morrow night will be "Grimes' Cellar public. Door," a laughable musical comedy, which has made a hit in the west this season. It is made up of an excellent company of artists, it is said and the

During the past nine months there have been 5593 fires in New York City, aggregating a loss of \$3,644,143.

performance promises some good hu-

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A savings bank book from a sound institution like this is a gift that counts every working every Sunday and every other holiday, for interest keep ling up-compounded as allow it-whether you wake or sleep. See us about our liberal arrangements for small depos-Start a Christmas bank account for your son.

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DIVORCED SIX WEEKS AGO

AND NOW REMARRIED. Unexpected and Happy Finale to a

Chapter of Domestic Infelicity-For the Sake of the Children Harmony Is Restored and a Household Reorganized-Judge Fitz Gerald Officiates at the Second Marriage.

One look into the eyes of the man shom a month ago she called husband, one endearing word from his the gave him her hand, and Belinda E. Collins forgot the heartaches and anguish that his acts had caused her il) was forgiven and Saturday night hen Justice of the Peace Thomas Fitz Gerald pronounced the words that reunited her with Henry J. Colshe did on that first wedding day. many years ago.

Six weeks ago Mrs. Collins filed a suit for divorce in the state circuit court, alleging cruel and inhuman ered the bonds that had proved so galling. Never again, said the freed voman, would she be tempted by the love of man

But Henry J. sorrowed and was S. O. Swackhammer and family, of lonesome. His heart yearness.

S. O. Swackhammer and family, of the love of her who was the mother of the love of her who was the mother of the children and for years had been been and his refuge in the and Joseph Palmer and family, of La his children and for years had been Grande, passed through this morning his helpmate and his refuge in the

EDUCATIONAL EXHIBIT.

Oregon Board of Supervisors is Now Changed by Resignation of Prof.

Baker City. Mr. Robinson will be general supervisor of the educational exhibit at the Lewis and Clark expo-

Land on Eureka Flat.

One of the largest real estate deals made in several months was completquarter of section 21, and the north

REVIVAL MEETINGS.

Tuesday Night.

will assist Rev. G. L. Hall in conducting these meetings. Mr. Hill commenter highly recommended. This evening there will be a short prayer service in preparation for the meetings. A cordial invitation is extended to the

Eagles Elect Officers.

Pendicton Acrie No. 288, Fraternal Order of Eagles, has elected the foilowing officers for the ensuing year worthy president, William gert: worthy president, A. C. Koepworthy vice-president. Thomas Aston: worthy chaplain, C. C. Sharpe. conductor, James Himes; secretary, R. W. Ritner; orthy secretary, R. W. Ritner; reasurer, Conrad Platzoeder; trustees, Frank O'Hara, T. D. Taylor and Al Gibson; inner guard, George Crall.

mander, J. B. Mumford; senior vice-commander, Alfred Rugg; junior vicecomander. John Stockman; chapiain, Dr. Johnson; quartermaster, T. J. Million; sentinel, B. F. Renn; guard, William Fitzgerald.

Little Salmon, an Indian, and Gus Marshall this morning in police court forfelted \$5 each for drunkenness. B. F. Killian was sentenced to 10 days in the city jall for vagrancy. Monroe Grant was sentenced to three days for drunkenness.

Marriage License Record.

Licenses to marry have ben issued by the county clerk to the following: Henry J. Collins and Belinda E. Col-Cargill and Eva Bell, both of Umatilla

Replevin of Cow and Calf.

Suit in replevin to recover a cow and a calf is on trial in the histice court today. T. F. Lane is the plain-tiff and Elmer Spike the defendant. H. E. Collier represents the plaintiff, and Attorney Esteb the defense. BETTER PRICES THAN ELSE-

ROOSEVELT'S NEWS COLUMN

Holiday News

OF THE MOST COMPLETE STOCK OF FURNISHING GOODS, CLOTHING, HATS, SUIT CASES AND SHOES; THAT ARE MOST ACCEPTABLE AS GIFTS, OR FOR PERSONAL USE. THERE IS NO QUESTION ABOUT THE SIZE OF THE STOCK, THE NEW UP-TO-THE-MINUTE STYLES, THE PRICES NOR ANY OTHER FEATURE THAT ENTERS INTO THE SUBJECT OF SELECTING THE BEST STORE TO PATRONIZE. THIS IS THE ORIGINAL RIG BOSTON STORE WITH THE BEST STORE TO PATRONIZE. THIS IS THE ORIGINAL RIG BOSTON STORE WITH THE "TINY" PRICES. AND TODAY WE OFFER GREATER INDUCEMENTS TO THE ECONOMICAL AND PRUDENT PURCHASER, THAN EVER BEFORE. READ ON:

SUIT CASES

Under this head we offer all kinds of travel-in bags, trunks, etc. This line is new and bright, and priced below others.

\$1 to \$5--\$7 to \$12--\$15 to \$25

OVERCOATS

For all the boys of the family. All styles and colors, including cravenettes, storm coats, top coats, regular and long; for thin men and stout men, or any kind of man. Pric

\$1.50 to 5-\$6 to \$20-\$25 to \$42

SUITS

This is the line that challenges. There is not an equal showing in the city. We claim to carry better clothing than others, and our many patrons are living witnesses of this state-Sults to fit the thin or fat, the long or short. Priced from

\$1.50 to \$30

GLOVES

Dent's and "B. M.," the celebrated prize winners. These give men a wearing glove, and are especially good fits. Think of this.

75c. to \$1.50-\$2 to \$4

SWEATERS

All the plain colors and great variety of fancy colors, in tasteful combinations. Our sweaters are made mostly of worsted, thus insuring the correct shape after washing. Priced

\$1.00 up to \$5.00

The New "BUSTER BROWN" Sweaters Just in

HATS

The new "Flat Iron," "Travis," "Plains." "Broadway," and winter shapes of Knox, Stetson and Gordon hats. This department offers the greatest range to the fancy, and the best of satisfaction to the purchaser. Priced

\$1.00 up to \$10 00

NECKWEAR

Our new Christians stock has just arrived. You are cordially invited to look over this display and see the best assortment of style and colorings in the city. Priced

25c up to \$3.50

UNDERWEAR

This line is carried in all the cheaper grades, but for this glad season we make special note of the better grades. Priced

\$3.00 up to \$7.50

HALF HOSE

Fancy colored or plain; to suit every taste and demand. We have a most complete assortment of this season's products. Priced

10c to 25-35c to 50-75c to \$1.50

MEN'S SHOES

This is our strong hold. We offer more shoes, more styles and more prices than any other seller of shoes in this part of the state. We make a specialty of Hanan and Douglas shoes. Together with other first-class makes. Have prices

\$1.00 up to \$7.00

WOMEN'S SHOES

TO THE LADIES: May they live long and prosper; may they be comfortable in GLORIA shoes, the five dollar shoe for three fifty; and any other priced shoe, such as

\$1 00 up to \$5.00

MISSES' SHOES

We make a special effort to piense young and stylish girls. They certainly should remember that ours are the kind that are made over special lusts for low beels and slender feet.

BOYS' SHOES

The good boy, the tough boy, and all the boys are invited to try our wear resisters. Bought from a Boy's Factory, cut to fit boys'

FELTS and SLIPPERS

These especially seem to be suitable for the merry Christmas gift. Our showing is complete and carries values from

50c up to \$4.00

BABY SHOES

The soft spot in the heart is for "baby dear." A neat shoe always takes babies' eyes, and one tried on must be left on to make the little sunshine Lappy.

50c up to \$2.50

OUR SHOE STORE IS COMPLETELY RE-PLETE FOR FITTING PEET.

THE LARGEST SHOW INDICATING ESTABLISHMENT IN EASTERN OREGON.

ROOSEVELT'S Big Boston Store

on the jetty work at the mouth of the Columbia, predicts that before the G. A. R. Elects Officers.

Kit Carson Post, Grand Army of the Republic, at its regular meeting held Saturday night, elected the following officers for the ensuing term: Can

Work Wanted - Two women want work of any description: lodging house work preferred. Apply room 20, Hotel Bowman.

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Well ventilated, neat and comfortable rooms, good beds. Bar in connection, where the best goods are served.

tween Alta and Webb streets.

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89.00 Coats sell at	
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\$10.00 Coats, Blue Kersey \$8.25	
\$11.00 Coats, Long, Belt Back \$8.75	
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\$16.50 Long Coats \$13.00	
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